Obituaries

James Herbert Ferguson

James Herbert Ferguson, 70, of 709 Mohawk Drive deceased at 1:55 a.m. Monday, Oct. 26, 1981, at Medical Care Center after a long illness. He was the husband of Queenie Myrlene McCormick Ferguson.

Born in Appomatox County June 15, 1911, he was a son of the late Tony Albert Ferguson and Mary Etta Ferguson. He was a retired employee of Lynchburg Training School and Hospital. He was a member of Moose Lodge No. 715 and a member of Fairview Christian Church where he was a member of the Class of Loyal Sons and Daughters.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by a son, Terry James Ferguson of Lynchburg; a daughter, Nancy Estelle Cook of Lynchburg; a son-in-law, Edward T. Cook of Lynchburg; a daughter-in-law, Hazel B. Ferguson of Oxnard, Calif.; seven grandchildren, Terry Stephen Ferguson of Bland, Daniel James Candler of Salt Lake City, Utah, and Anthony Joseph Ferguson, Dee and Lawrence Daniel, Ronald E. and Patricia K. Cook, all of Lynchburg; two great-grandchildren, Barry Dean Ferguson of Waynesboro and Eddie Cook of Lynchburg; a brother, Harry D. Ferguson of Appomattox, and two sisters, Katie F. Austin of Appomattox and Lorene F. Strick of Baltimore, Md.

Funeral services were conducted at 3 p.m. Wednesday in Fairview Christian Church by the Rev. Carlton L. Lyon. Interment was in Fort Hill Memorial Park.

Whitten Park Avenue Chapel was in charge of arrangements.

Jesse James Holt

Jesse James Holt, 70, of Route 2, Brookneal, died Saturday evening, Oct. 31 at his home.

Born Dec. 8, 1910, in Charlotte County, he was a son of the late Fountain Holt and the late Ona Foster Holt. He was a member of Roanoke Presbyterian Church and a retired farmer.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Louise Puckett Holt; two sons, James D. Holt and Larry K. Holt, both of Lynchburg; two daughters, Mrs. Paul D. (Betty) Trent and Mrs. David S. (Martha) Lawrence, both of Lynchburg; a brother, Hugh Holt of Spencer; two sisters, Mrs. Cabel P. Wilson of Brookneal and Mrs. Frances Holt Nash of Lynchburg, and eight grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday at 2 p.m. at the Roanoke Presbyterian Church in Aspen by the Revs. Richard Thomas and Millard Stimpson. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Henderson Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

School Menus

Pamplin Elem. Menu

Wed., Nov. 4 - Cheese Sandwich, Green beans, potato tots, milk.

Thurs., Nov. 5 - Chuckwagon steak, blackeyed peas, fruit, roll, milk.

Fri., Nov. 6 - Tomato soup, peanut butter sandwich, fruit, milk.

Mon., Nov. 9 - Spaghetti, cheese wedge, turnip greens fruit, biscuit, milk.

Tues., Nov. 10 - Pork and Gravy, whipped potatoes, pickled beets, roll, milk.

Wed., Nov. 11 - Fried chicken, buttered whole potatoes, buttered carrots, sliced bread, milk.

Primary Menu

Mon., Nov. 9 - Sausage Pattie, apple sauce, string beans, roll, butter, milk.

Tues., Nov. 10 - Chicken salad, corn on cob, fruit, milk, roll, butter.

Wed., Nov. 11 - Turkey hash, green peas, creamed potatoes, roll, butter, milk.

Thurs., Nov. 12 - Hamburger on bun, french fries, fruit, milk.

Fri., Nov. 13 - Vegetable soup crackers, fruit, cheese sandwich, milk.

Pageant slated

The first annual Virginia's Showcase Superstar Pageant will be held at the Brookneal Community Building, on November 15, 1981 at 1:30 p.m.

This is open to one and all. An entry fee is required. The deadline to enter is November 5, 1981.

If you would like an entry form or have any questions please call Wanda Douglas at 376-2806 before entry deadline.

4-H Club news

8th Grade 4-H Club

Appomattox 8th grade 4-H met on October 23, 1981.

We discussed a little about Public Speaking which will be coming this year.

We made elections for officers of this year. They are as follows; President-Brett Marston; Vice-President-Betsy Wingfield; Secretary-Nan e y Cole; Reporter-April Archer; Recreation Leaders-Shirley Cashwell; Randall Martin-Marvin Hamlett. We also have a program committee.

We filled in member enrollment cards and picked out 4-H books to work in for the year.

April Archer
Reporter

Mrs. Bryan's 6th Grade 4-H Club

Mrs. Bryan's 6th grade class had a 4-H meeting. Our meeting began when Kathy White, our president, asked Kevin Armentrout and Tonja Biglow to lead us in our pledges. Then our recreation leaders led us in some games and songs. They were fun. Next our secretary read the minutes from the last meeting. The Mr. Sweet did a terrific talk about each and everyone of the projects. We all got at least one of the fun projects. Then before we knew it the hour was up and Mr. Sweet had to go, but we really had a great meeting.

Mary Beth Drinkard
Reporter

Mrs. Berryman's 4-H Club

Mrs. Berryman's class met Wednesday, October 14, 1981, with Mr. Frank Sweet conducting the meeting. Our officers this year are: President - Keith Motley; Vice-President - Laura Bradley; Secretary - Cindy Paget; Reporter - Dean Nash; Recreation Leaders - Tommy Moore, Jennie Notestein, and Darryl Dawson.

Dean Nash
Reporter

Miss Krufka's 4-H Class

Miss Krufka's class had a 4-H meeting on October 23. The recreation leaders led us in the story "Betty Boop-a-Doop." Then we played "King and Queen."

Mr. Sweet finished up the old and unfinished business. He also told us the new business which was the change in dates of public speaking and Share-the-Fun activities.

He also told us about the new pool at 4-H camp. We will be selling popcorn as a fund-raising project.

Our program this month is picking 4-H projects. They vary from horses to electricity.

The president adjourned the meeting.

Reporter,
Valerie Guill

MRS. YVONNE PAULETTE'S first grade class at Appomattox Primary School presented "Two Little Lost Witches" Oct. 29.

Students present play

A Halloween musical entitled "Two Little Lost Witches" was presented by Mrs. Yvonne Paulette's first grade class at the Appomattox Primary School on October 29. Familiar fairy tales were used as a major part of the musical.

The welcoming address was given by La Tasha Johnson.

The two little witches were portrayed by Stacie Reynolds and Hope Gunter. David Evans, Ben Cole, and Ronald Gregory played "The Three Bears", with "The Three Billy Goats Gruff" being played by Rodney Wilkerson, Leslie Gowin and Genna Chambers.

"The Three Little Pigs" were played by Lora Slagle, Chris Przeniosz and Stephanie Grishaw.

The characters in "Little Red Riding Hood" were played by Vakisha Bradley, La Tasha Johnson, Ronnie Bryant, Chris Dillon and Brian Thompson.

When "The Two Little Lost Witches" finally found their home, they were warmly welcomed by their very own classmates who were played by Brian Floyd, Dan Pennix, Lee Wiggins, Christal Pankey, Jimmy Clark, Myra Mitchell, Robbie Williams, and Sharon McCoy.

A. J. SKATEWORLD rink guard Jerry Scruggs (left), is shown with his brother, Jeff (right) dressed for the Skateworld Halloween Costume Contest.

FIRST GRADERS in Mrs. Simpson's class at Appomattox Primary School got in the Halloween spirit early last Friday. They presented a play about "The Lost Little Witch".

Students visit paper

Students from Mrs. Walton's fifth-grade class at Appomattox Elementary School, along with their student teacher, Miss Crawley from Longwood College visited the Times-Virginian office recently.

The students were shown how the various sections of the paper are put together for publishing. Mrs. Paulette and Mr. Shumard demonstrated how headlines are printed and how news articles are placed on the lay-out page. Allen Austin did an advertisement lay-out and took students into the dark-room. Each student was given a copy of the paper.

Mrs. Frances Paulette had visited Mrs. Walton's classroom earlier and made an excellent presentation on the many aspects of the newspaper including photojournalism.

The class had been studying photojournalism and the types of news stories in Reading class. Many students showed an interest in careers associated with the newspaper business.

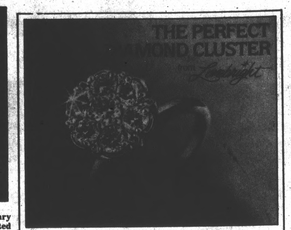
Billy Johnston initiated

William C. "Billy" Johnston, son of Mrs. Sue Johnston of Route 4, was recently initiated into the Quarter Century Club of IBM.

Johnston is a graduate of Appomattox High School and Lynchburg College. After graduating from college he served four years in the U. S. Air Force.

He went to work for IBM in October of 1956.

He and his wife and two daughters reside in Vienna, Va.



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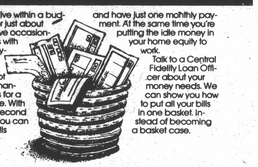

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Horticulture information available

To help Virginia gardens become more attractive and bountiful, Virginia Tech Extension specialists are offering a new monthly publication called The Virginia Gardener.

The latest horticulture information, as it applies directly to Virginia gardens, will be included in this monthly newsletter. Prepared by Extension specialists, it will have feature articles on home landscaping, care of ornamental trees and shrubs, indoor plant culture and home food production.

A variety of subjects will be covered, including conquering pest problems, understanding the science of horticulture, building handy gardening equipment inexpensively and monthly gardening tips.

WHO WON? WHO WON? Who gets to carve the pumpkin? Those were the questions being circulated by Mrs. Eye's sixth grade students. Each class member participated in an art contest to determine who could draw the most unusual pumpkin face. Tony Watkins, first place winner, Joe Drewry, second place, and Brian Moore, who donated the pumpkin, appear to be pleased with their creation.

Prepare beds now

By JAMES A. SMITH
Extension Agent

"The South 40"
by JAMES A. SMITH
EXTENSION AGENT

Tobacco plant beds need to be prepared now for spring seeding. Applying methyl bromide will control most weeds and insects. Soil temperatures should be above 55 degrees; therefore, growers need to treat before soil temperatures fall significantly. Apply nine pounds per 100 square yards.

At seeding, 3 to 4 ounces of Enide 50W can be applied to control grasses and weeds that escaped fumigation.

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A couple of Virginia Tech researchers are working on the problem of grass tetany and fescue toxicity. If you experience any of these problems with cattle or horses, we would like to know about it so that forage samples can be collected.

Your assistance will be appreciated.

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Fall soil testing is very important. Several good reasons: 1. Good sampling takes time and there may be more time to take samples now than next spring; 2. There is very little delay in getting samples processed now; 3. If lime is required, it can begin its work in time for next year's crop. 4. Knowing fertilizer requirements now is a good way to prepare fertilizer budget for next year.

A soil sample represents 20 to 40 million pounds of soil in the field; this points out the need for following good sampling procedures.

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Cattle owners are being contacted by representatives of the State Veterinarian's Office. We have a pretty good list of commercial cattle owners, but we need to insure that 100% of the cattle are tested. If you are not contacted, give our office a call (804-352-8244) and give your name to the vets. Remember, this work is being done without cost to the producer.

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A high-tensil fencing demonstration was conducted on the John and Phil Harrison Farm last fall. John tells me that they have recently put in two additional fences, totally almost 1000 feet.

This is a high quality fence, while not cheap, that may be the cheapest over the long haul.

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If you are one of the many considering using a space heater to supplement your heating system, you need to keep in mind several safety tips:

1. Leave adequate space between the heater and furniture, drapes, and magazine racks.

2. If an extension cord is used, be sure it is a heavy duty one rated for the expected electrical load.

3. Buy electrical or liquid fuel heaters that are equipped with automatic shut-offs it tipper over.

4. Keep young people away from these heaters.

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As the year 2000 approaches, evidence indicates that we could be running out of land for increased food and fiber production. This means we will have to produce more on each acre farmed. If soil losses from erosion remain inchecked, our physical capacity to produce food and fiber at reasonable costs is serverly threatened.

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PRECIPITATION:
LAST WEEK 4.84
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ASCS today

Maryland tobacco inspection

By TOM CONRAD

MARYLAND TOBACCO INSPECTION-We have been advised by AMS that they will have an inspector present for inspection and certification of Maryland tobacco at the following locations:

(1) Dixie Lee Warehouse Kenbridge, Va., 11-6-81 and 11-13-81.
(2) The New OK Leader Wase., Inc., Kenbridge, Va., 11-13-81.
(3) Warren's Warehouse, Danville, Va., 11-6-81.
(4) Planter's Warehouse, Inc., Danville, Va., 11-6-81.
(5) Big Sale Warehouse, Inc., Danville, Va. 24541, 11-6-81.
(6) Holland's Warehouse, Danville, Va., 11-6-81.
(7) Piedmont Warehouse, Danville, Va., 11-6-81.

Regulations state that Maryland tobacco must be inspected and certified before leaving the state.

Average American Ate 1,402 Pounds of Food - The average American ate 1,402 pounds of food last year but paid proportionately less for it than in 1960, according to a recent U. S. Department of Agriculture study.

Consumer expenditures climbed 319 percent from 1960 to 1980, but, proportionately, food gained less than other items in the consumer's budget. In 1960, about 20 cents of each dollar of disposable income went for food. Last year, food took about 16 cents of the disposable dollar, the survey showed.

In the last 20 years, shifts in consumption patterns affected many products. Consumption of frozen orange juice, for example, increased 98 percent, from 4.6 pounds per capita in 1960 to 9.1 pounds last year. Beef consumption has been dropping each year since 1976 when it hit a record 95.7 pounds per capita.

Chicken consumption also gained dramatically going from 27.8 pounds per person in 1960 to 51.2 pounds in 1980 -- an 84 percent increase. The biggest gainer was cheese, going from 8.3 pounds per capita to 17.9, an increase of 116 percent.

But some foods lost ground. Potatoes dropped from 80.4 pounds per person in 1960 to 44.4 in 1980, a loss of 45 percent. Egg consumption declined 17 percent, from 42.2 pounds per capita in 1960 to 35.4 twenty years later.

All fluid milk consumption decreased from 290 pounds per capita in 1960 to 243 capita last year. Other losers were sugar, down 12 percent, and fresh peaches, down 38 percent.

BEVERLY COLEMAN, RINK GUARD at A. J. Skateworld is shown (standing in rear) with three of the Halloween Costume Contest winners, from left to right, Roger Guill, Maria King, and Becky Ranson.

REBECCA NOTESTINE, WINNER, in A. J. Skateworld Halloween Costume Contest is shown with employees, (from left to right) Teresa Moore, Rebecca, Beverly Coleman and Freda Layne.

A. J. SKATEWORLD COSTUME CONTEST winners are shown, (left to right), Keith Ackerman, John Ackerman, Missy Curry and Robin Miller; Beverly Coleman, (standing in rear) is employee of Skateworld.

Junior Woman's Club, sorority sponsor benefit

The Appomattox Junior Woman's Club and the Alpha Gamma Delta Sorority from Longwood College are co-sponsoring a Skate-A-Thon on Nov. 16 at A. J. Skateworld, from 5 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Proceeds from the event will benefit juvenile diabetes.

Sponsor sheets will be distributed to students in Appomattox schools, Farmville schools and schools in Charlotte County. Adults who would like to skate to benefit diabetics will also be able to get the forms.

Prizes will be furnished by merchants in the Farmville and Appomattox areas.

Local citizens are asked to please help support his worthy cause.

Market closes

The Farmville Area Market will close at 5:30 p.m. Sunday, November 8 until next spring.

The Board of Directors wishes to thank all who have participated as sellers and/or consumers to make this the best season in the four-year period of existence. The Board would like to extend sincere wishes to all for a happy, warm and fruitful winter season.

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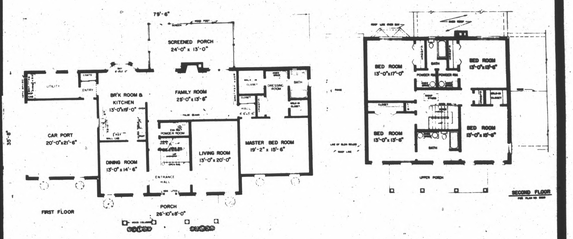

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